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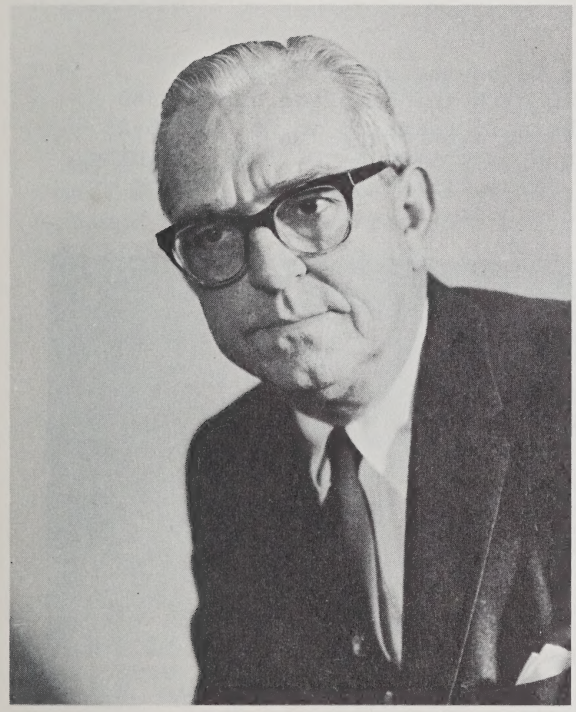
Dr. Patterson Appointed Surgeon-in-Chief



At the annual meeting of the Board of Managers held here at the hospital on February 14th, Dr. Robert Lee Patterson, Jr. was appointed Surgeon-in-Chief of the Hospital. Dr. Patterson has been a member of the hospital staff for twenty-six years.

A native of Athens, Georgia, Dr. Patterson was graduated from the University of Georgia and the Harvard Medical School. His internship was done at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston. Dr. Patterson then served as resident surgeon in orthopaedics at Children's Hospital and the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston and resident surgeon in fractures at Presbyterian Hospital, New York. In 1936 he joined the staff of the Hospital for Special Surgery and has since that time also maintained a private practice in orthopaedics.

During World War II, from 1942 until 1946, he served with the Armed Forces in Europe and left the army with the rank of lieutenant colonel.

Dr. Patterson and his wife, the former Margaret Douglas Sloane, have three children, Nancy, 23, Frances, 21, and Robert, 15.

Since 1951, Dr. Patterson has been on the teaching staff of Cornell, most recently as clinical associate professor of surgery (orthopaedics). His new position is that of professor of orthopaedic surgery. Dr. Patterson is a member of 13 medical and scientific societies, including the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons of which he was vice president in 1959 and 1960.

OUR GIFT SHOP

One would think that the charming ladies behind the counter in the Gift Shop were in business for themselves, they work so hard to make the shop a success and keep it attractive. The shop is run under the general direction of Mrs. John H. Reynolds, Chairman of the Shop, and Vice President of the Board of Managers. Mrs. Caroline is the general manager. Mrs. Ochs does the buying for the shop, both by visiting showrooms and having salesmen come to the hospital. She also does all the bookkeeping, filing, bank depositing, and writes the monthly financial report for Mrs. Reynolds to present to the Women's Auxiliary. If you don't see Mrs. Ochs in the front of the shop, you know she is in back in her office doing some of these things. Mrs. Ochs has been a hospital volunteer for nearly twenty-five years. She came to help out in the shop in the old hospital on 42nd Street and has been with us ever since.

Mrs. Sylvia Pearson and Mrs. Evelyn Carpenter are Mrs. Ochs' assistants in the shop. Mrs. Pearson has been with the hospital since 1949 (she says she is waiting until she has been here 15 years to go to the 15-25 Year Club Dinner) and Mrs. Carpenter has been a volunteer since 1951, helping out first in Social Service and the Cerebral Palsy Clinic, and then moving to the Gift Shop when it opened here in the new hospital.

Also in the shop are a number of volunteers without whose assistance, says Mrs. Ochs, the shop could not be the success it is. All of them have been there for a number of years and enjoy the work. These include Mrs. Gertrude Geller, Mrs. Rose Wilsek, Mrs. Augusta Rentz and Mrs. Francesca Kingsley. Mrs. Catherine Masbach and Mrs. Joan Leib take the shop cart to the various floors for those patients who can not come down to the shop. They are assisted by Mr. Michael Kaplan.

Mrs. Geller, Mrs. Ochs and Mrs. Wilsek

The Gift Shop is a very busy place as I realized talking in the back with Mrs. Ochs. In the half hour I was there, a salesman came into see her, another called on the telephone, several questions were directed to her from the volunteers, a former employee came into volunteer her services, and Bill LoCascio came by to discuss plans for the 15-25 Year Club Dinner. In the meantime, she was trying to write the monthly report.

As Mrs. Ochs, says, the service provided by the Gift Shop is worth more than dollars and cents. She feels that the people who come through the shop have special problems and need extra service and patience. This the volunteers try to provide and, as we all know, they do so most successfully.

In case our readers have forgotten, the Gift Shop is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturdays from 12 noon to 4 p.m.

J.S.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL MEDICINE

Not having any news for the R & C for many months, we now have two marriages to report, Miss Yvonne Cadogan was married to Mr. Johnny Matthews (Yvonne is still with us), and Miss Kathleen McCarthy, who did not change her name only her address. Her husband is an Irishman, one Brian McCarthy, who is presently studying for his Ph.D. at Cornell University, so Katty has moved to Ithaca. We wish both couples every happiness. Kathy writes "that without bias, her wedding was wonderful, but she forgot her blue garter; also she hates to think of working any place other than H.S.S."

The students from the Physical Therapy School of Columbia University are back again for their affiliation this semester. Miss Ann Gorton will be supervising them this year, replacing Miss Pearl Solomon who has many other duties. Pearl is also taking some hours out for studies. Ann, too will be very busy as she is a member of the "Cantata Singers" who, by the way, gave a concert in Philharmonic Hall this past Sunday. She and several of the other therapists are ardent skiers (Linda Flaster is an instructor).

Unfortunately, the following names were omitted from the January R & C for perfect attendance in 1962: Miss Edith Frieberg, Mr. Otto Just, Mr. Edwin Soderman, and Mr. & Mrs. Sunday. By this time, it has been taken almost for granted each year that there have been no absences for them, as indeed with rare exception, has been the case for many years.

Miss Barbara Boyle, has joined our staff as a Trainee. Barbara is a M.C.S.P. from Dublin and has written an article on "Cystic Fibrosis" for the Journal of the American Physical Therapy Association. We are very pleased to welcome her to H.S.S.

F.K.W.

MRS. ADELAIDE MALONEY RETIRING

We are sorry to announce that Mrs. Adelaide Maloney, our Executive Housekeeper, will be retiring as of March 1st, after 16 years with the hospital. We certainly can't imagine how the hospital will be kept neat and clean without her.

Mrs. Maloney came to the hospital in 1946 after a rather varied career. As a young wife, she went to Columbia University and received a degree in dietetics, but after working in that field for a while, she decided she would be much happier in housekeeping. She was Executive Housekeeper at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center and then supervisor of housekeeping at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, where she lived for a time. She went to the Waldorf to gain hotel experience as she thought she would like to remain in that field. She did enjoy hotel work and it took some effort to pry her away and keep her here at Special Surgery.

After leaving HSS, Mrs. Maloney will live in Livingstonville, New York (near Cobleskill) at least temporarily. Her daughter and grandson live in Livingstonville also. Mrs. Maloney hasn't formulated her plans for the future as yet, she is still too busy working for HSS, but she hopes to travel and may live in Florida for most of the year, returning to Livingstonville for the summer months. Mrs. Maloney says she doesn't think she will like country living but she does want to be near her daughter. She has lived in the city now for many years, has many friends here, and is active in several organizations. Mrs. Maloney's house in Livingstonville sounds lovely - 52 acres with her own pond (for fishing, not swimming) on the property, so perhaps after a few months there she won't miss the city at all.

We wish her all the best of health and happiness in the future and will miss her here. If she puts as much effort into enjoying herself in retirement as she has in her work, she should be very happy.

J.S.

THE NIGHTINGALE'S CHIRP

Recent Additions to our Staff of Registered Nurses

Rosella Logan
8 North

Rosella was graduated from Misericordia Hospital, and came to H.S.S. in October '59 immediately after her graduation. Her hobby is bowling, and in her spare moments, she bowls, dances, swims and reads. New York is her home town.

Barbara C. Bauer
5 North

Babs joined the staff in September of 1960, her first position after graduating from the Englewood Hospital School of Nursing. Babs is an avid sports enthusiast, swimming, skiing and even flying. (Unbeknown to her parents) she says her spare moments are spent in flying. Besides sports, she enjoys some ladylike pastimes such as sewing and reading. Her home town is Haworth, New Jersey. "Extremely happy to be here" is her answer to queries about H.S.S.

Winifred Una Kelly
7 South

Winnie is a red-headed lassie from across the sea. Sligo, Ireland is her home town. She graduated from the Walton School of Nursing, Liverpool, England and before coming to H.S.S. in April, 1962, held positions in Middlesex Hospital, London, and also in New York Hospital. Her interests include tennis, ice skating and dancing as well as reading and the theatre.

J.W.

RESEARCH NEWS NOTES

The research staff was saddened to hear of the sudden death of Dr. Roger Lemaire's father in Belgium. Our sincere sympathies are extended to Dr. Lemaire and his family.

Dr. Leon Richelle will be finishing his stay here shortly. He will be returning to his home in Liege, Belgium. We all wish him the very best of luck and success and will look forward to his visit here sometime in July.

Mrs. Sheila Seigel, Dr. Mellors' secretary, will be leaving at the end of this month to await a new arrival to her household sometime in May.

We are happy to welcome to the staff, Richard Harper, who will be a research assistant for Dr. Aaron Posner. Mr. Harper worked previously with Dr. Posner at the National Institutes of Health in Maryland.

M.C.K.

MEDICAL RECORDS DEPARTMENT

Never let it be said that there is a dearth of new in this Department. No sooner do I bemoan the fact that there is no news, when down comes the deluge!

Two secretaries were operated on the same day for appendicitis in two different hospitals, Gisella, in Flower Fifth Avenue and Joanna in Parchester. They are both home now convalescing but will not return to work before March.

Margie and Mavis are off again for their winter vacations - Margie to Puerto Rico and Mavis to Trinidad and the gay carnival season.

Valentine's Day held sway in the Record Room with chocolate hearts and baskets of flowers, and for one lucky gal, an evening out at the Copacabana!

A newcomer to this Department is Anne Glen, our dictaphone operator. Anne is a blond, bonnie lassie who comes from Kilmarnock, Scotland, "where Johnnie Walker whiskey is made." Anne went to college in Glasgow, Scotland, writes poetry, teaches ballroom dancing every Wednesday night, and is presently gathering material for a book she is writing on her travels. She has been in this country since 1960. At present, she is looking for a publisher for her poems. We are happy to submit the following poem by Anne Glen:

I.P.

TO MY FATHER

(Note: My father and mother had been married for only three months when my father was posted for Palestine with the British Army and did not return until five years later. Accordingly, we met for the first time when I was five years old.)

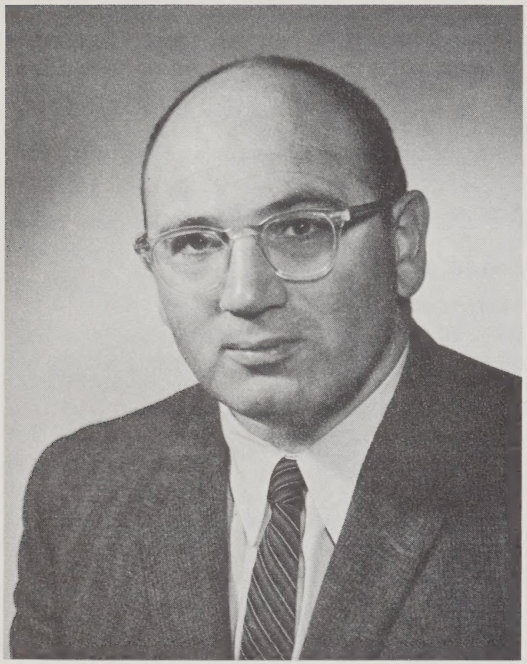
A stranger you were once to me, a name
An address on an envelope,
A picture in a frame,
While constantly I longed for not these things...
I longed for you.
In a manner like a flower needs the rain,
A fish the sea,
A bird the air,
A tree the earth,
I needed you - and still you never came.
This heart of mine which beat within the child I was,
This heart which yearned to love you so, -
It knew you not.

Yet I was not deterred, for just as surely as
I knew a surging tide to ebb must flow,
I knew the love I saved for you
Would not be saved in vain - and it was not.

Like an infant from the womb I was
Until you stood before me,
A living, breathing creature,
But a body - not a being.
Alive? Not that. Existing.
That day I met you face to face,
My life began.
The efferent love you offered me,
My eager heart absorbed with such intensity
That all who saw me knew -
This man this child adores.
My Father - that I truly do!

Anne Glen
Medical Records Department

Dr. Aaron S. Posner Appointed Associate Director of Research



We welcome to the hospital staff, Dr. Aaron S. Posner who has been appointed Associate Director of Research. Dr. Posner is well-known in the field of chemical crystallography and for the past two years was Chief of the Crystal Chemistry section at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland.

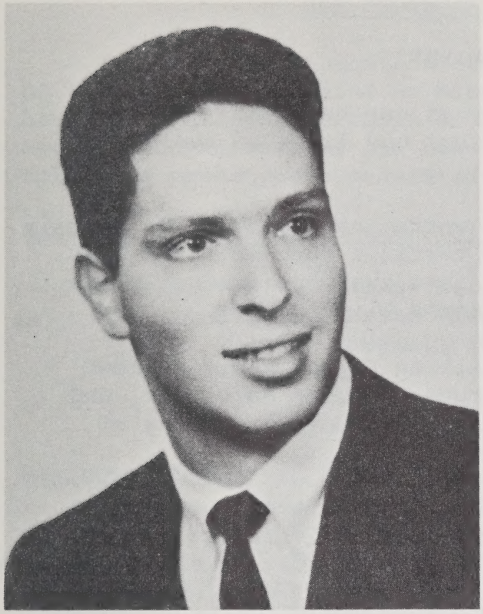
Dr. Posner was born in Newark, New Jersey, and brought up there. He attended Rutgers University with an athletic scholarship from his high school and a scholastic scholarship from the State of New Jersey. Dr. Posner graduated from Rutgers with a B.S. degree in chemistry and then went on to the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn to obtain his master's. He received his doctorate from the University of Liege in Belgium, where he worked on the crystal chemistry of hard tissue.

Dr. Posner is married and has two daughters, Nancy, 8 years old, who was born in Belgium, and Jane, 14. During the war, Dr. Posner was a first lieutenant in the Air Corps stationed in the Pacific. He was honored with many decorations, among them, 3 bronze stars, and the Army Commendation Ribbon. He also spent a year in Japan during the occupation.

Washington, D.C. has been the Posner home for the past thirteen years and it is the doctor's favorite city. We hope he will like New York as well. Both he and his wife are very fond of gardening and hiking and hope to find a house in Westchester where these pastimes can be indulged. In Washington, the Posners often took the now very fashionable hike around the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal. The Posners are also greatly interested in politics and community affairs, and the doctor plays the classical guitar.

Here at the hospital, Dr. Posner will be working on studies of the atomic structure of the mineral and protein portions of hard tissues. Knowledge gained from this research will be useful in many fields and of course ultimately in the treatment of disease. Dr. Posner will also be Associate Professor of Ultrastructural Biochemistry at Cornell under Dr. Vincent duVigneau, the Nobel prize winner. Room 518 in the research building is Dr. Posner's office at present.

J.S.



JOHN BAER - Assistant Director

Another new member of the staff of the hospital is Mr. John Baer who has replaced Warren Betts as Assistant Director. Mr. Baer comes to us from the Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn.

Mr. Baer is that rare individual who was born in New York City and brought up here. He now resides on Horatio Street in the village but expects to move into the 9th floor hospital apartment shortly. Mr. Baer received his B.A. from Oberlin College in economics and his master's degree in hospital administration from Columbia University. He is currently working for his doctorate in public administration at New York University. Since his graduation from Oberlin, Mr. Baer has worked with the U.S. Public Health Hospital on Staten Island, with Sinai Hospital in Detroit and with Beth Israel Hospital here in New York City.

Originally planning a career in architecture, Mr. Baer spent the summer working in an architectural firm to further this interest after his first year at Oberlin. The architects concerned, however, were hospital architects and after the summer, Mr. Baer found he was more interested in hospital administration than in architecture. Three more years in college deepened this interest and he went on to explore the field further by going to graduate school at Columbia.

Mr. Baer comes from an artistic family and is very interested in art himself. His mother is an art teacher and several of her sculptures enhance his office. He also has several of his own works adorning the walls of his office and all are invited to view his "etchings" at any time. Along with art, he is very much interested in current affairs and politics. He likes to sing and has had four years of voice lessons. Recently he learned to play the guitar to accompany himself. Mr. Baer's interests do not stop there - he also likes going to plays and concerts and in the good weather enjoys tennis and swimming.

J.S.

HOSPITAL BENEFIT - "OLIVER"

On the evening of January 30th, many of our hospital's friends and members of our staff braved miserable weather and traveled over to Broadway's Imperial Theatre.

From all reports, the trip was well worth the effort. Our benefit performance of the hit muscial "Oliver" was a terrific success. The loud applause and many curtain calls gave evidence that everyone immensely enjoyed Lionel Bart's musical adaptation of Dicken's Oliver Twist.

The performances given by Clive Revill as Fagin, Georgia Brown as Nancy, Willoughby Goddard as the Beadle, Bruce Prochnik as Oliver, and the outstanding work of the entire cast made for a wonderful evening of entertainment.

Our sincere thanks to our Theatre Benefit Committee Chairman, Mrs. Edwin Hilson, and the members of her committee. As a result of hard work and dedicated efforts, our "Oliver" benefit was a great financial success and raised money which will be used to further the work of our institution. We are especially grateful to Mrs. Hilson, who once again, was thoughtful enough to arrange for our employees to purchase a number of seats in the balcony of the theatre.

M.R.

AMONG OURSELVES

A report from Mrs. Vandermark at DeBruce that Chan just gets the snow shoveled off the roofs and paths when along comes another storm. They both hope Spring is not far off and that the staff will be able to enjoy the lodge again.

We regret to report the death on February 15th of Miss Beatrice McEwan in Brooklyn Hospital. Miss McEwan was the Purchasing Agent here from 1923 to 1955.

We are also sorry to report that Dr. Jerome Schachter and Miss Shirley White, L.P.N., relief nurse, have been hospitalized here. Dr. Schachter is now at home recuperating. Also on the sick list are Edward Kilpatrick and Roy Woods of the Dietary Department. A speedy return to health to all.

An announcement was received by Dr. Straub of the marriage of Dr. Teodoro Ayala on February 16th to Miss Inez Hoyos in Manizales, Colombia.

We are happy to announce that Mrs. Henrietta Mendoza, Purchasing Agent, has become a grandmother again. A boy, Seth Michael was born to her daughter, Rachel Rubin, on February 11th.

J.S.

HSS SURGEONS ATTEND MEETINGS IN MIAMI

During the month of January, many of the alumni and staff members of the hospital traveled to Miami to attend the 30th annual meeting of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and the meetings of the American Society for Surgery of the Hand and the Orthopaedic Research Society. The following papers were presented at these meetings:

American Society for Surgery of the Hand

1. Dr. L. Ramsay Straub and Dr. Rolla D. Campbell, "The Results in Surgery in the Rheumatoid Hand."
2. Dr. T. Campbell Thompson discussed a paper on "Common Fractures About the Hand."
3. Dr. Straub served on a panel on "Surgery of the Hand in Rheumatoid Arthritis."

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons:

1. Dr. Thompson, Dr. Campbell and Dr. Eugene Lance presented an exhibit on "Carpal Disruptions - Problems in Diagnosis and Result of Treatment."
2. Dr. Thompson discussed 2 movies on the ruptured Achilles' tendon.
3. Dr. Bernard Jacobs, Dr. Philip D. Wilson and Dr. Laurence Schechter presented a paper and exhibit on "Slipped Femoral Capital Epiphysis."
4. Dr. Sidney Eichenholtz, Dr. Preston Wade and Dr. Richard Stark, "Central Acetabular Fractures."
5. Dr. John Cobb, Dr. Konstantin Veliskakis and Dr. Marco Gaxiola presented an exhibit on "Spine Studies: Part IV - Selection of Fusion Area in Stable Scoliosis."
6. Dr. Straub presented an exhibit on "Surgery of the Arthritic Foot."
7. Dr. Anthony Gristina, "Popliteal Cysts in Adults and Children."

The following members of our staff gave Instructional Courses:
Dr. William Cooper, Symposium: Cerebral Palsy.
Dr. John R. Cobb, Pelvic Obliquity.
Dr. Rolla D. Campbell, Fractures and Dislocations about the Wrist.
Dr. T. Campbell Thompson, Common Disorders of the Forefoot.
Dr. Richard Freyberg participated in a course in surgery for chronic arthritis.

Orthopaedic Research Society

1. Dr. Gristina and Dr. George Rovere, "An In-Vitro Study of the Effects of Metals used in Internal Fixation on Bacterial Growth and Dissemination."

2. Dr. Philip D. Wilson, Jr. discussed a paper given on "Experimental Dislocation of Hip Joint Produced by Excess Anteversion of the Femur."
3. Dr. Allan Inglis, "Studies of Transplantation Immunity and Osteogenesis Using Diffusion Chamber Methods."
4. Dr. Paul D. Saville spoke on "Changes in Bone Mass with Age."
5. Dr. Felix Bronner discussed a paper given on "Action of Vitamin D on Bone."
6. Dr. Leon Richelle discussed a paper given on "The Response of Bone in Vivo to Parathyroid Extract."
7. Dr. Goran Bauer discussed a paper given on "Microscopic Metabolism of a Calcium-Like Radionuclide in Bone."

In addition to presenting papers, our staff actively attended the excellent series of lectures, exhibits and instructional courses made available.

Not neglecting the natural geographic resources of Miami, smiling, salt water-splashed faces could be seen occasionally emerging from the beautiful pool behind the Hotel Americana, and although the weather was not perfect, some complexions were improved.

The Miami get together provided an opportunity to renew old friendships as the Special Surgery clan gathered from all parts of the world. At our alumni luncheon, epic sagas and adventures of the old Ruptured and Crippled were recounted once again.

After a week of this intolerable existence, our heroes finally returned to the halls of Special Surgery, smiling, tanned and happy.

A.G.

MEDICAL STAFF

Dr. Rolla D. Campbell, at present Assistant Attending Orthopaedic Surgeon, was made Associate Attending Orthopaedic Surgeon. Dr. John Doherty, at present Orthopaedic Surgeon to the Out-Patient Department, was made Assistant Attending Orthopedic Surgeon. Dr. Thomas D. Rizzo, former resident and fellow, was appointed Orthopaedic Surgeon to the Out-Patient Department.

Dr. Bernard Jacobs and Dr. Allan Inglis are now Diplomates of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons having passed the examination given in Miami. Our congratulations to them both.

GRADUATION OF CLASS XIX
School of Practical Nursing

On Thursday evening, February 7th, graduation exercises were held for Class XIX of the School of Practical Nursing. Dr. John V. Connorton, Executive Director of the Greater New York Hospital Association, was the guest speaker. Mr. Hazard Gillespie represented the Board of Managers and Mrs. John H. Reynolds presented the nursing awards.

Miss Dorothy Burton received the first award, a pair of golden bandage scissors, for exceptional ability in nursing, Miss Mildred Myers was given the second award for attaining the highest academic average of her class, Miss Yvonne Hughes received the third award for outstanding initiative in theory and practice, and Miss Marlena Egeler was given honorary mention for her leadership and academic achievement.

Front (l. to r.): Shirley Cobb, Yvonne Hughes, Loretta Burke, Dorothy Burton, Milagros Otero, Ruby DuPont, Miss Dean Smith, Director of Education, Valerie Wiggins, Gloria Lukach, Virginia Costello, Joan DiBella. Back Row (l. to r.): Miriam Archer, Marlena Egeler, Sarah Duncan, Betty Goldsmith, Louise Howard, Maxine Greenblatt, Martha Imperial, Morleen Myke, Margaret Lacey, Lila Gluck, Mildred Meyers, Cleopatra Green, Mildred Jenkins.

Around HSS

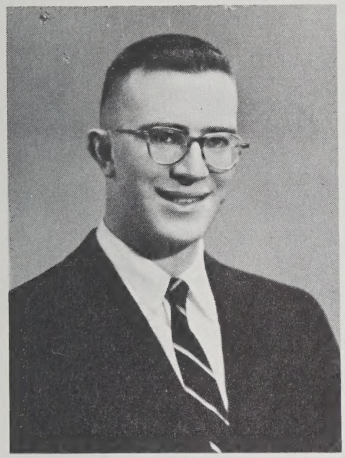
Gregorio Centron, Leonardo Vicenty, Daniel Palermo, Felix Colon in the Cafeteria

Mrs. Carol Leonard
Accounting

Miss Lillian Fox & Mrs. Anne Quigley in Telephone Room

Rene Alessandrini & Harold Sullivan of Maintenance Department

ORTHOPEDIC RESIDENTS - Dr. Alan Pavel



Dr. Pavel, newest Orthopedic Resident on our staff, is a born New Yorker who was raised in Connecticut. He went to the Cherry Lawn School, Yale University, and received his M.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1958. Dr. Pavel is not a stranger to us as he served his internship and surgical residency at New York Hospital and rotated through our service for two months during the winter of 1961.

While he states he has little time for sports and hobbies, he tells a most interesting story of his stint in the Navy, 1959-1961. He was Medical Officer on a submarine tender off the coast of Florida. The tender served as a hospital ship for submarine crews and every month, as part of his duties, he boarded a submarine and got down into the briny deep. He numbers nuclear-powered submarines, including the Polaris, among the vessels boarded.

Dr. Pavel has a family of three children and they all live out in Roslyn Heights, New York. Welcome aboard H.S.S!

J.V.

"Ex-High Fashion" Model Celebrates 10th Birthday in Special Surgery Playroom

Duzanne, a stunning white poodle, complete with coiffeur's pompadour and purple toe nails, was guest of honor for the children on 5 South at a very gay party for the two dozen youngsters who helped plan the details - cake, ice cream, favors and baskets. The question was, who blew out the candles? There were several helpers. The party dog had her share of cake and ice cream plus some of that of her neighbors as well, with their help, of course.

F.S.

Editor's Note: Duzanne belongs to Miss Schwartz and formerly did high fashion modeling at $20.00 an hour. Unfortunately, Duzanne is very fond of ice cream, cake and other treats forbidden models, and now is too plump to continue her former career.

VOLUNTEERS

It is not unusual in our department to find volunteers who graciously take on extra tasks, often at the sacrifice of a social engagement, to fill in on an empty spot. And every now and then, we meet one who goes "above and beyond the call of duty" without the expectations of a Congressional Medal. Our volunteer of the month is Mrs. Grace Dennis.

Mrs. Dennis is a retired New York High School math teacher who has been assisting the teachers by tutoring high school students on the fifth floor in math.

One of her former students, now in Blythedale, wrote that she had applied too late for permission to take the Regent's examinations, and was very distressed and disappointed. Mrs. Dennis called the youngster's former teacher in Brooklyn and learned that permission would be given if she would pick up the regent's papers, deliver them to Blythedale and conduct the examination herself. Mrs. Dennis then called the child's father who drove her to Blythedale on the stormiest day this winter. A happy sequel to the story - the girl passed the exam. Mrs. Dennis is indeed a rare Avis

Mrs. Lorber (the former Mrs. Leight) was all set to fly to sunny California for the winter, but instead has been hospitalized for eye surgery. She is now recuperating at home and we sincerely hope that before too long she can accompany her husband west.

The Volunteer Committee met on February 14th with Mrs. Wilson presiding. Among other things, our summer program was discussed, and ways and means to better serve the hospital. The Committee includes Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Bevan, Mrs. Fried, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Sands, Mrs. Sloane, Mrs. Wolf and Mrs. Wurzburger. With such support, there is no reason why the department should not function on the highest level.

We are most grateful to Mrs. Wolf for her contribution of five cases of coffee for our clinic coffee service. It is indeed a generous gift.

A.McC.

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